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SUBJECT: AUSTRAL TREATY ORGANIZATION

REFERENCE: TANANARIVE 1794

1. WE ARE UNAWARE WHAT MIGHT BE SOURCE OF TOTALLY FALSE
RATSIRAKA ALLEGATION CONCERNING "AUSTRAL DEFENSE PACT"
LINKING US, AUSTRALIA AND SOUTH AFRICA TO PROTECT URANIUM
RESOURCES.

2. AGREE WITH EMBASSY THAT IN VIEW SERIOUS NATURE OF
ALLEGATION AND AS OUR SILENCE MIGHT BE TAKEN TO BE TACIT
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF US INTENTS IN THIS REGARD, THAT EMBASSY
SHOULD FLATLY DENY REPORT IN WAY IT CONSIDERS MOST APPRO-
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PRIATE AND EFFECTIVE. WE WILL DO SA E HERE IF QUERIED.

PLEASE INFORM US RE MEANS AND TIMING OF YOUR DENIAL TO

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